



Payments are due by NOON on the last day of the same month that the bill is sent.

(See 8-1-4 of the City Code for reference)

FIRE DEPARTMENT MESSAGE

The Fire Department has been busy this year and there is always the invitation for all interested people to come be a part of something big.

We have had several big fires this year and EMS has been setting response records for medical calls the past several months. However, the one big issue that keeps coming up is smoke and Carbon Monoxide (CO) alarm malfunctions.

A couple points to help everyone with this are these.

1. When a chirp starts it is most likely a battery that needs to be changed. If the alarm keeps chirping after a new battery, the alarm may have failed. Most manufacturers recommend changing alarms every 7-10yrs. The date on the alarm back panel will give that date and help you know when it was made and if due for change. I have seen some new alarms test bad right out of the box. Sometimes blowing them out with compressed or canned air clears dirt and also can fix the problem. If all these tips don't work, time to replace the alarm no matter the manufacture date.
2. Some of the new models take AA size batteries and we have found different makes of batteries in some alarms. Always use the same batteries, and hopefully from the same package when replacing batteries. Different batteries will fight against each other and discharge more quickly causing the low power chirp to start. This usually happens between 2 and 3 AM as that's when we seem to get called out for alarms going off.

Changing batteries frequently, at least annually, will help with most of the common issues with smoke and CO alarms.

Follow the Elk Ridge Fire Department on Facebook and Instagram for more useful tips and all the latest news of what's happening in the city.

Applications for EMTs and Firefighters can be found on the city web page under the Fire Department or contact us at firechief@elkridgecity.org.

Seth Waite
Fire Chief



**Keep safe!!
Seth Wait**



MEETINGS

City Council: Tuesday, **October 8th** and **October 22nd** at 7pm

Planning Commission: Thursday, **October 3rd** (Cancelled) 7pm

*Please note all agendas are posted on our website and related attachments are posted on the Utah Public Notice Website



5-Animal Problems
4-Citizen Contacts
13-Abandon 911
5-Fire call out
6-Medical
7-Suspicious
7-VIN Inspections

SHERIFF'S CORNER

1-Fraud
4-Domestic Violence
30-Traffic Offense
2-Trespassing
1-Nuisance
1-Civil Problem
5-Alarm
1- Extra Patrol
10- Follow up
2-Sex Offense
4- Assisted Lockout
1-Disturbance
2-Falls

JULY AND AUGUST CALLS

1-Fire Alarm
2-Fire Company Alarm
1-Fire Vehicle Com
1-Hemorrha
3-Information
1-Juvenile Problem
4-Keep the Peace
1-Prowler
1-Transfer Law
7-Vin Inspection
2-Violation of Order
2-Theft
1-Threat Suicide

Please continue to report all crimes and suspicious activity. For emergencies please dial 911. For all other incidents please contact Utah Valley Dispatch at 801-794-3970.

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